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For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR PHOTOGRAPHING THREE-DIMENSIONAL  
IMAGE, APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR DISPLAYING THREE-DIMENSIONAL  
IMAGE, AND APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CONVERTING THREE-  
DIMENSIONAL IMAGE DISPLAY POSITION

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- ☒ 3. An English-language Abstract of the non-English language reference 5 is attached hereto.
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